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## Redeployment Defined



- The transfer of a unit deployed in one location:
  - to another area for employment
  - to home station



## Redeployment Phases



- Ph I. Recovery and Reconstitution, and Predeployment Activities
- Ph II. Movement to and Activities at POE
- Ph III. Movement to PODs
- Ph IV. Reception, Staging, Onward Movement & Integration





## Ph I. Recovery, Reconstitution and Predeployment Activities



- After completing military operations, units move to assembly areas to prepare for redeployment
- Redeployment reconstitution focuses on:
  - Attaining required unit readiness levels
  - Equipment accountability and cross leveling of equipment and personnel



## Redeployment Planning



- Redeployment OPLAN is key document.  
Normally contains guidance on:
  - Recovery and reconstitution activities
  - Movement of units, individuals and materiel
  - Re-establishment of APS stocks that  
were drawn during deployment
- Units develop their redeployment movement  
plans based on higher hqs plans



## Key Redeployment Organizations



- Army Service Component Command (ASCC) or Army Forces (ARFOR) commander:
- Plan reconstitution and redeployment of Army forces based on Joint Force Commander (JFC) guidance
- Identifies organizations responsible for supporting redeployment



## Key Redeployment Organizations (Cont)



- Theater Support Command:
  - Coordinates logistics support for redeploying units including:
    - + Field services (laundry bath)
    - + Maintenance and customs requirements
    - + BBPCT needs



## Key Redeployment Organizations (Cont)



- Installations
  - Receive redeploying units at POD
  - Coordinate and support unit movements from POD to home station or demobilization station



## Redeployment Transit Areas



- Areas designated to support redeployment movement from AO to final destination

Includes:

- Assembly Area (AA)
- Redeployment Assembly Area (RAA)
- Marshaling Areas & Staging Areas
- ASCC/ARFOR will designate transit areas



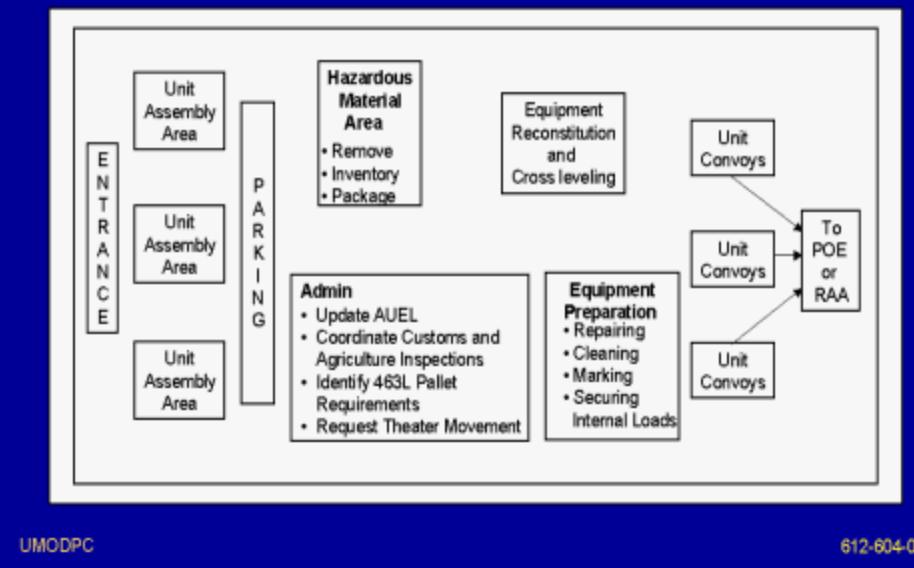
## Assembly Area



- Assembly Area (AA):
  - Designated for units to assemble in after completion of operational mission
  - Unit moves to AA for initial redeployment preparation
  - AA activities include reorganization, cross leveling of supplies, and preparation for movement to RAA or port area.



## Assembly Area (notional)





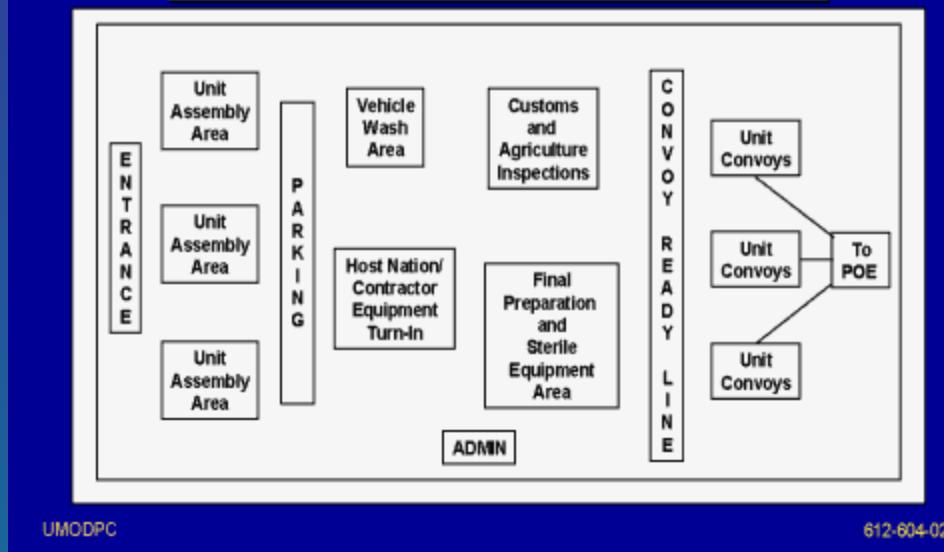
## Redeployment Assembly Area



- Redeployment Assembly Area (RAA):
  - RAA focus is preparation for move to POE
  - Normally located in COMMZ
  - RAA may be established due to security concerns, or when AA support is not adequate for redeployment preparation



## Redeployment Assembly Area (notional)





## Theater Staging Base (TSB)



- Theater Staging Base:
  - Established to support movements over long lines of communication (LOC)
  - May be required for redeployment of large forces



## Marshalling Areas



- Marshaling Areas at POEs:
  - Final unit preparation area prior to moving to POE operations area
  - Personnel and equipment separated
  - Equipment configured for shipment
  - Generally includes call forward areas (CFA) and sterile areas.



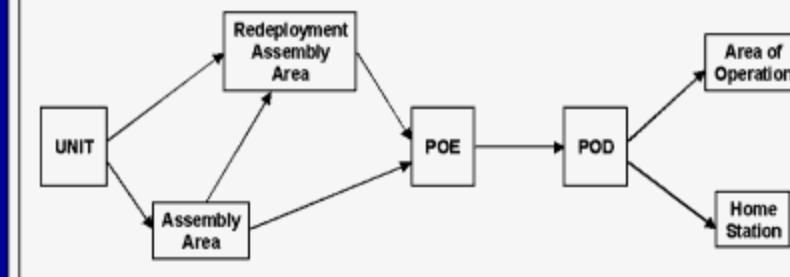
## Redeployment Routing



- Redeployment plan identifies redeploying unit routing
- Routing considerations include:
  - Size of redeploying force
  - Distance to POE
  - Time available
  - Enemy activity



## Redeployment Routing Scenarios





## Supporting Commands, Unit & UMO Redeployment Activities -- Phases II through IV

Phase II. Movement to & Activities at POE

Phase III. Movement to POD

Phase IV. RSO&I



## Ph II. Movement to POE Activities -- ASCC/ARFOR



- ASCC/ARFOR Actions:
  - Develop OPORD for redeployment -- Provide info for redeployment requirements and procedures
  - Develop redeployment timelines
  - Verify unit movement and readiness data



## Ph II. Movement to POE Activities -- TSC



- Theater Support Command (TSC) Actions:
  - Establish procedures to process APS & excess materiel
  - Establish & operate convoy support centers and POE marshaling areas
  - Control unit movements to POE



## Phase II. Movement to POE Activities -- Redeploying Unit



- Unit & UMO Movement Activities in AA or RAA:
  - Develop and refine the DEL
  - Pack and load containers -- must comply with agriculture and customs requirements
  - Identify BBPCT, container, flatrack and 463L pallet requirements



## Phase II. Movement to POE Activities -- Unit (Cont)



- UMO & Unit Movement Activities in AA or RAA:  
(Cont')
  - Conduct wash-down and customs inspection
  - Prepare to provide load teams & drivers to POE
  - Process excess equipment for turn-in
  - If deploying to new theater for operations, draw and receive required equipment



## Phase II. Movement to POE Activities -- Unit (Cont)



- UMO & Unit Movement Activities in AA or RAA: (Cont')
  - Load equipment, containers, flatracks and 463L pallets -- Coordinate with customs prior to loading containers & military vans (MILVANS)
  - Configure equipment for transport (e.g., convoy, rail)



## Phase II. Activities at the POE



- Units redeploy through APOEs and SPOEs  
Could also redeploy via rail and road
- POE procedures are same for redeployment to home station & redeployment to second theater of operations



## Phase II. Activities at the POE -- TSC



- TSC Activities:
  - Control unit moves from combat zone to POE
  - Operate marshaling area/equipment turn-in sites
  - Provide or coordinate DACG & PSA support, as required



## Phase II. Activities at the POE-- Redeploying Unit



- UMO & Unit Movement Activities upon arrival at POE
  - Unit normally moves to POE marshaling area
  - Unit prepares unit equipment & personnel for processing through POE operations areas
  - Send liaison officer to POE operations area and equipment turn-in/issue sites



## Phase II. Activities at the POE -- Redeploying Unit (Cont)



- UMO & Unit Movement Activities upon arrival at POE (Cont')
  - Move equipment to turn-in sites, as required
  - Move load teams to APOE/SPOE operating areas, as required
  - Load containers that were not stuffed in assembly areas



## Phase II. Activities at the POE -- Redeploying Unit (Cont)



- UMO & Unit Movement Activities upon arrival at POE (Cont')
  - Finalize movement documentation (DELs, HAZMAT, cargo load plans, MSLs, AIT storage devices)
  - Conduct customs (if not previously completed in AA or RAA)
  - Conduct final wash-down



## Phase II. Activities at the POE -- Redeploying Unit (Cont)



- UMO & Unit Movement Activities in POE staging/operating areas:
  - Unit responsibilities & procedures for POE processing essentially same as deployment
  - APOE (marshaling area, alert holding area, call forward area, ready line)
  - SPOE (marshaling area, staging area, vessel loading area)



## Customs and Agricultural Clearance Procedures



- Inspections can occur at any redeployment node (AA, RAA, POE, POD)
- Redeploying units coordinate inspection times with US Customs officials.
- Equipment inspection must be completed NLT 24 hours prior to departing POE



## Customs and Agricultural Clearance Procedures (Cont)



- Unit equipment cleaned and laid out prior to inspection
  - Must meet USDA standards - 100% free of soil, vegetation, pests
  - Requires wash racks and steam cleaners
  - Customs normally checks equipment at wash rack area
  - After passing inspection, equipment moves to sterile area



## Customs and Agricultural Clearance Procedures (Cont)



- Redeploying Soldiers:
  - Soldiers and carry-on baggage process through customs 4-6 hrs prior to departure
  - When cleared by customs, soldiers remain in sterile area until departure.



## Ph III. Movement to POD



- From boarding at POE to offload at POD, passengers & cargo under USTRANSCOM authority
- Redeploying unit may provide supercargoes aboard ships
  - Supercargoes secure and maintain unit cargo during transit
  - Perform as unit liaison during discharge operations at SPOD



## Ph IV. RSO&I



- Units redeploying to another overseas location for operations --
  - Begin RSO&I processes at POD
- Units redeploying to home/demobilization stations --
  - Undergo reception and onward movement activities
- As RSO&I covered in previous lesson, focus is on redeployment to home/demobilization station



## Reception



- Reception process consists of:
  - Offloading personnel and equipment from strategic or operational transport
  - Marshaling local transportation
- Reception and onward movement plan developed by Supporting Installation (SI) and Commander receiving the forces



## Reception (Cont)



- Supporting Installation functions
  - Plans / executes return of units from POD -- processes convoy requests & obtains commercial transportation
  - Establishes enroute support sites required by redeployment plan



## Reception (Cont)



- Redeploying Unit & UMO Functions at POD
  - Provide download teams and drivers to move equipment to marshaling area
  - Coordinate required customs and USDA clearance inspection with port operator
  - Perform equipment inspections & process movement documentation
  - UMO coordinates return of all equipment and soldiers with SI reps or ITO



## Onward Movement



- Defined as process of moving personnel and accompanying materiel from reception marshaling / staging areas to their destinations
- Onward movement mode is typically the same as deployment fort to POE move (e.g., convoy, rail, bus)
- UMO coordinates with SI and ITO for appropriate convoy clearances, railhead support, and enroute movement support



## Activities at Destination Installations



- Supporting Installation:
  - Provides transportation & MHE/CHE as required to assist unit unloading
- Redeploying Unit Functions:
  - Unload and turn-in equipment, as required
  - UMO updates AUEL and processes through UMC, and prepares for next possible deployment